Last Game

— Amano Shinobu —

Freewheeling Scanlations

And this is his rival, as well as his girlfriend, Kuyou Mikoto-san.

This is Yanagi Naoto-kun.

Their mutual love finally bloomed, but...

It has been two months after the confession scene at the airport.

I'll have to cancel my plans with you.

Yanagi, I'm sorry.

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WELL, I CAN SEE YOU ANYTIME. BUT THIS COURSE WILL ONLY RUN THIS WEEK.

I'LL TAKE THE SLOT THAT OPENED UP IN THE SPECIAL COURSE AT CRAM SCHOOL...

...!!

I WONT CRY!!

Who do you think I am?

SORRY.

PLEASE DON'T CRY.

WHA-... BUT...

BUT WE COULDN'T GO OUT LATELY BECAUSE I HAD TO PREPARE FOR YOUR MOCK EXAMS.

SO THIS IS SUPPOSED TO BE OUR DATE AFTER A LONG TIME.

I WAS ACTUALLY INVITED BY SOMEONE ELSE THAT DAY, SO...

O-OF COURSE OTHER PLANS AS WELL.

UNLIKE YOU, I HAVE MANY FRIENDS.

USUALLY, I'D PRIORITIZE THE PLANS I MADE WITH YOU, BUT...

I KNOW.

SEE
YOU LATER
THEN.

IS
THAT SO?
I'M GLAD.

TAP

—I did it
again...

LO.SER.

An

PIPPI

That's why
her schedule
has been filled
by studying and
there's no time
for anything
else.

And
apparently,
she was
disappointed
in her mock
exam results
in December.

Kaiou has
cram school
every day.

It's good
that we
started
dating, but

...That's
right.

LOSER.

Dunno
Christmas and such.

AND I
ALREADY
FOOLED
AROUND TOO
MUCH.

I WAS
DISTRACTED
BECAUSE
OF YOU.

YOU!!

I WONDER IF I MIGHT HAVE COME ON TOO STRONG.

YOU DO THINK THAT, I DON'T LIKE.

Although she had warned him not to do anything in public,

she got really mad at me and haven't been able to do anything ever since.

he tried to kiss her once there was nobody around.

When I got too far ahead of myself and just kinda stuck to her the whole time.

...?

DO——OM

BANG

I WANT TO BE MORE LOVEY-DOVEY WITH HER!

WHAT AM I DOING RIGHT NOW...?

WHAT HAPPENED, YANASE?

WHAT? ARE YOU NOT DOING WELL WITH KIJOU?

MIDDLE SCHOOL CLASSMATES & DRINKING BUDDIES

OKAWARA-KUN

Yanase and Kijou's childhood friend, drinking partner

ONE OF THE BEST THINGS THAT HAPPENED TO ME

A CLASS-MATE SINCE PRIMARY SCHOOL.

N-NO WAY!

YEAH!

LIGHTEN UP

SHE CON-FESSED TO YOU?

OH— WOW

EH, YANAGI, YOU GOT A GIRLFRIEND?

HM, HOW DO I SAY IT?

AFTER DIS-COVERING THAT I WAS GOING TO STUDY IN AMERICA, SHE CHASED ME TO THE AIRPORT?

THEN SHE CONFESSED TO ME THERE, SO I CAN'T JUST REJECT HER, RIGHT...

HONESTLY? I'M NOT REALLY THAT INTO HER?

GLIN

BUT YOU KNOW SHE REALLY LOVES ME, SO...

Lub lub... Yanaa wore a super happy smile

AAAHH!

Riiing

KIJUU

Riiing

YES, I WOULD JUST BE IN THE WAY ANYWAY.

...AH, YEAH.

THAT'S RIGHT, YOU TAKE AIKIDO LESSONS.

YEP.

YEP.

Sssss

YEP.

YEP.

TAKE CARE.

IT'S ALL BECAUSE SHE'S SUCH A SHY GIRL THAT SHE DOESN'T WANT TO TROUBLE ME, DOES SHE?

YOU CAN CRY, MAN.

DON'T OVERDO IT.

SO, WANT TO GO... DID YOU TWO ACTUALLY DO?

I MEAN, IT'S ONLY BEEN TWO MONTHS SINCE YOU STARTED DATING, I'LL BET LIFE ISN'T FROM HERE.

Isn't the order messed up...?

Eh, they already have the parents' permission...?

And what they had... so dinners at my house is the last one...

HAVING DINNER AT MY PLACE...

HAVING DINNER AT KUJOU'S PLACE WITH HER MOM...

DINNS IN A RESTAU- RANT...

GOING TO THE FARM...

LET'S SEE...

WHY ARE YOU ACTING LIKE A HIGH SCHOOL GIRL?

What do you mean by my room...?

Wha-

Step-

That whole line never crossed his mind from the start...

DON'T EVER TAKE HER TO YOUR ROOM!!

He's doomed...

I'M AFRAID OF GETTING REJECTED...

IT'S BECAUSE YOU DON'T KNOW ABOUT HER FREAK- UATU COLD ATTITUDE!

IT DOESN'T MATTER IF YOU'RE DATING!

But,

But,

I'D NEVER BE ABLE TO STOP MYSELF!!

STILL SUFFERING FROM THE TRAUMA

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DOOOOM

WE DON'T EVEN MEET OUTSIDE THE UNIVERSITY COMPOUND.

Looking at shining wet eyes clearly

LOOK, WE'VE KNOWN EACH OTHER SINCE PRIMARY SCHOOL. THERE WERE EVEN TIMES WHEN I FELT LIKE I'M HER FATHER.

OF COURSE SOMETIMES MAKES ME FEEL THE WORLD AS SOMETHING MADE BY A RANDOM OLD MAN IN A DARK PLACE.

DURING MIDDLE SCHOOL

LIKE, GEE OKAY.

BUT TO THINK SOMEONE LIKE YANASE WOULD, YOU KNOW···

I JUST CAN'T FIND THE RIGHT TIMING.

PLUS, SHE SEEMS LIKE A TINY CHICK SOMETIMES.

IS THE KIND OF STUFF YOU USED TO SAY···

SMIRK SMIRK SMIRK

DOING THAT TO HER WOULD MAKE ME FEEL INCREDIBLY GUILTY.

BUT NOW YOU'RE BEING PLAYED WITH···

IT REALLY CRACKS ME UP···

...WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

the (the) ... together

PANT

PANT

PANT

I HAD A HELLISH EXPERIENCE YESTERDAY THANKS TO YOU!

BUT YOU...!

AS SOMEONE "COOL" AND "HANDSOME"!

I'VE FORGOTTEN LATELY

DO YOU GET WHAT I'M TRYING TO SAY?

THAT I'M USUALLY SEEN BY PEOPLE

HUH?

YOU... YOU...

I'VE NEVER THOUGHT OF YOU AS A COOL PERSON THOUGH!

...ANYWAY,

!!!

AH, THAT'S RIGHT.

I'LL TREAT YOU AS AN APOLOGY FOR YESTERDAY.

LIGHTEN UP!

IS THAT SO? OK, THANK YOU SO MUCH.

SO I SAID, GO OUT WITH YOU ON THAT DAY. WHAT DO YOU THINK?

I GOT MY TUTOR TO CHANGE SESSIONS NEXT SATURDAY.

NOT GOING TO BE PLAYED WITH BY YOU ANYMORE!

I'M!

DON'T MAKE A FOOL OUT OF ME!

...!?

BLUSH

YANAGI-KUN IS FUN TO BE AROUND,

BUT I'D DEFINITELY NOT WANT TO DATE HIM.

Y— YOU THINK THAT APOLOGIZING TO ME WILL SOLVE EVERYTHING, DON'T YOU?!

EH!?

I DON'T THINK SO.

WHAT DO YOU SEE IN HIM?

Kijou has been playing with me this whole time.

Crap.

That's going to end now.

Is 7 o'clock a good time? Mom is working tonight, so I have some time to spare.

feel my pain!

YOU'RE EARLY.

There's too much homework.

I HAD NO CHOICE!

YANAGI...

OKAY, OKAY.

RIGHT, IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE I'VE HAD LUNCH WITH YOU, YANASE.

BECAUSE A CERTAIN SOMEONE'S ALWAYS BUSY.

MAYBE THAT'S WHY.

Twn

SOMEHOW, THE FOOD TASTES MUCH BETTER.

AND THAT PERSON'S SCHEDULE IS ALWAYS FULL.

YOU AND YA SIMPLE FLATTERING FOODS ON ME... FLAT?

EAT MORE!

BAH... YOU...

munch munch

DON'T THINK THAT FLATTERY WILL GET YOU ANYWHERE!

OOH...

DO YOU THINK YOU CAN...

DAMMIT!

THIS IS TASTY.

DO YOU WANT SOME?

SURE.

REALLY?

MM.

HERE.
YOUR PLATE...

MM.

YOU'RE RIGHT.
IT'S DELICIOUS.

BRrP

Case that gross is too late no later than—

GRRT

WHAT'S WITH THAT FACE?

Craaaap—
Ahhh ah ahhh
I'm so happy,
darnit...

Kujou's having dinner with me as my girlfriend~

Can I please have another glass of that?

Humans really are greedy creatures...

But now, I've started to forget that...

Yeah, that's right...
When she confessed to me at the airport,
I thought nothing else could beat the happiness I felt back then.

Eh? Eh? Since when did she drink so much...?

I'll walk back with her tonight.

H-

HEY, KUJOU...

HEY, KUJOU...

USUALLY EVEN GUY WHO'S SHE PASSES A CERTAIN POINT, SHE BECOMES LIKE THIS

She won't wake up!!

SNOOORE

I have to take her to my place...

...MIDORI-SAN...

SHE HAS BEEN OUT DRINKING GOOD SINCE THAT NIGHT, RIGHT...

OHHH, THIS IS

THE MUCH FEARED ????????? ???????

Wait, whaaat?

What should I do...?!!

I did let Kijou stay the night once though.

But that was before we started dating.

So naturally, nothing happened.

Now that we're actually dating...

SNORE

NOTHING'S GONNA HAPPEN ANYWAY...

...WELL...

Tired.

GULP

I'LL JUST HAVE SOME WATER AND GO SLEEP...

!

BADUMP

BADUMP

BADUMP

BADUMP

Ah... She must be extremely drunk...

I'M NOT DRUNK.

LIVELY

Wh-Whaaaaat?!

She's so lively and cute right now.

WHA...? MYU?

WHY DID YOU DRINK SO MUCH...?

I JUST GOT EXCITED BECAUSE IT HAS BEEN SO LONG SINCE LAST TIME I HAD DINNER WITH YOU.

SLIDE

UHM, I'LL STAY HERE WITH YOU UNTIL YOU FALL ASLEEP.

Okay.

I SHOULD PUT HER TO SLEEP FOR NOW...

...A...

Hm

SHE'LL NEVER LISTEN WHEN UNDER THE INFLUENCE. I FEEL... HM?

ARE YOU DRUNK...?

IS THAT OKAY WITH YOU?

THERE.

SLSTK

...HAHA.

IT
FEELS
GOOD.

GOOD GIRL,
GOOD GIRL.

W—

Because I can't hold back any longer...

...AH, KUJOU!

IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU LET GO OF MY HAND...

GRAB.

BLUSH

BECAUSE I WANT TO GO TO SLEEP NOW...

OH.

I'M SO SLEEPY.

Woah...

THEN, LET'S GO TO SLEEP TOGETHER.

BY
"ANYTHING",

...LIKE
WHAT?

HUH?

WHAT DO
YOU MEAN
EXACTLY?

CLENCH

THE SOUND
OF HIS HEART
BEATING
CAN BE HEARD

Impossible.

UH...

EH?

UHM...

BLUSH

DON'T
GUYS USUALLY
IMAGINE A
QUESTION
WITH A
QUESTION?

...WELL...

IF IT'S
YANAGI,
I DON'T
MIND.

EH...

I KNOW YOU WON'T DO ANYTHING BAD TO ME.

EVEN IF YOU SAY ALL THOSE THINGS,

EH...

...UM

ZZZ

OH YES, AS EXPECTED !!!

KUJOU, WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY...

PfW.

PfW.

PfW.

....

GEEE!

SHE WON'T
EVEN LET
ME HAVE
GO!

CLASP!

YOU...

YOU WAIT
AND SEE
KUJOUHU
!!

........?
............?

...nn

OPEN!

Person who someone

THAT'S MY
LINE...

EH?!

EH?!

GYAAAAAA
AAAAAAAA!

WHAT?!

A person who
someone

T-HUD

KNEEL

Huh

Oh yeah, last night she wouldn't let go of my hand, so...

I DON'T GET WHAT'S HAPPENING...

THIS IS YOUR BEDROOM, RIGHT?

I SWEAR TO GOD, I HAVEN'T DONE ANYTHING.

I did my best trying to avoid while getting next to her, so!

CAN YOU RECALL ANYTHING FROM LAST NIGHT...?

WE WERE IN THE RESTAURANT...

...I HAVE SOMETHING TO ASK YOU.

I couldn't resist the cute one then...

I thought so!!

NOT AT ALL.

...BUT

SNUGGLE

I HAVE A FEELING I HAD A NICE DREAM...

And the days that Yanagi-kun gets played with continue.

WHAT?

PLEASE STOP PLAYING WITH ME.